



PRESENTATION ITEM

DATE: NOVEMBER 21, 2013

TO: PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

SUBJECT: VILLAGE POND PARK WORKSHOP 3

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S): Review and Comment

BACKGROUND:

At its March 5, 2013, meeting the City Council approved a Request for Proposal to solicit a consultant to engage the community to develop a vision for the future of Village Pond Park. On May 20, the City Council approved the selection of Nuvis Landscape Architecture and Planning, to develop conceptual plans for possible renovation of Village Pond Park

On Saturday, July 20, the first community workshop was held at Village Pond Park to gather input regarding potential improvements. On Saturday, September 14, a second community workshop was held at Lake Forest Beach and Tennis Club where several design options were presented.

DISCUSSION:

A third Community Workshop is planned for Thursday, November 21, in conjunction with the Regular Meeting of the City of Lake Forest Parks and Recreation Commission. Nuvis will present several programs and ideas to manage the waterfowl population along with a Preliminary Consensus Plan.

ATTACHMENT:

1. Village Pond Park Preliminary Consensus Plan

Submitted By: Gary Magill, Director of Community Services

RIDGE ROUTE DRIVE

ELFROND LANE

VISTA WAY

RESPIRIT DRIVE

SUNNYBROOK CIRCLE

ENTRY PLAZA

ENTRY GATEWAY

SECONDARY ENTRY

LOW FENCE

CONCRETE MOW STRIP

SMALL PLAZA, TYP.

PICNIC TABLES, TYP.

INCREASED SHRUB MASS AREAS NEAR POND

8' WIDE MEANDERING WALKWAY

NEW FILTRATION SYSTEM WITH TWO GEYSER FOUNTAINS

EXISTING POND TO REMAIN

SMALL PLAZA, TYP. PROPOSED FLOATING ISLAND

NATIVE GARDEN WITH INTERPRETIVE SIGNAGE

5' WIDE MEANDERING DECOMPOSED GRANITE PATH

PICNIC TABLES, TYP.

INCREASED PLANT MASSING

DO NOT FEED DUCKS, GEESE, OR ANY WILD ANIMAL!

Do Not Feed The Ducks

SCALE: 1" = 30'-0"

HOW A FLOATING ISLAND WORKS

Aquatic Plants
Removable Floating Mat
In-Stream Bed Vision

Typical Floating Edge

Shaded Area
Planting Area
Water Surface

FACE

NZVUS

Landscape Architecture